IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

PIL NO.17 OF 2007

The Peoples Union for
Civil Liberties and Anr. ..Petitioners

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra
and Anr. ..Respondents

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Mr.R.B.Amrolia with Yasmin Katpitia along with
Ms.Sheetal Shah i/b Mehta & Girdharlal
for Petitioners
Mr.S.R.Borulkar P.P. for Respondent-State

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**CORAM: R.M.S.KHANDEPARKAR, AND
SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI, JJ.**

DATE : OCTOBER 05, 2007

P.C.:

1. Heard the learned advocates for the parties. Perused the report from the Municipal Laboratory in relation to the analysis of the contents of the container which is used for serving the lunch to the convicts and/or prisoners who are brought to the Courts to attend the hearings in the Courts and the same reveal that the boxes in which the lunch is served to those prisoners are fit to be used for storing the lunch products and articles. It has also been informed by the learned APP and confirmed

by the Advocate for the Petitioner that proper arrangement is being made to serve the lunch packets to the prisoners who have to attend the Courts on account of hearing of their matters. Since the satisfactory arrangement in that regard is being made and that was the only grievance for which the present PIL was entertained, nothing further survives in the matter. While accepting the statement on behalf of the Respondents and as the proper arrangement for serving the lunch to the prisoners while they are being brought to the Courts for hearings in their matters, is being made, the petition is accordingly disposed of with no order as to costs.

[R.M.S.KHANDEPARKAR, J.]

[SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.]